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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Methods and systems are disclosed for communicating a diagnostic message from a vehicle. One embodiment detects the diagnostic message and initiates a wireless communication in response to the diagnostic message. The wireless communication is initiated by electronic equipment installed in the vehicle. The wireless communication represents the diagnostic message. Another embodiment detects the diagnostic message and requests to initiate a wireless communication in response to the diagnostic message. If the request is approved, electronic equipment installed in the vehicle initiates the wireless communication.